



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : S. HERWECK et al.  
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DELIVERY OF THERAPEUTIC AGENTS AND  
METHOD OF MAKING

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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-referenced application, entry of the below amendment and consideration of the remarks provided are respectfully requested.

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